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HON. C. T. NYLANDER, high commissioner to Canada from Ghana, was speaker at the United Nations Day dinner last month. He is seen here with R. T. E. McLaughlin, first vice-president of the Edmonton branch of the UN Association, who was chairman for the event. Mr. Nylander flew to Edmonton from New York where he had been attending UN sessions.

Winter Works Plan Finances Skating Rink Waiting Rooms

LAC LA BICHE—Construction of the new skating rink waiting rooms is nearing completion and the rink is being flooded in preparation for opening.

The building, which is 18x60 feet, consists of a main room and two dressing rooms. Gas heat is already installed as well as plumbing with hot and cold water. The interior is being finished with fir plywood and the exterior will be stucco, although the outside finish will have to wait till spring for completion in warmer weather.

One large rink has been built for hockey and a smaller one for the younger boys and girls. The rinks are made in such a way that they can be quickly taken down in the spring and stored until the next skating season. The waiting rooms can be used in the summer as concession booths for sports events. The labor costs of the project have been financed under the federal and provincial governments' winter works plan, whereby the federal government pays one-half and the province one-quarter, leaving only one-quarter for the town.

The rink would appear to be almost ready for opening but George Langevin, who is foreman of the project, says there may be some delay over wiring and lights.

The rinks are a vast improvement over the crowded facilities used for so many years in the centre of town and are one more step in the town's progress. The new location is in the area of the ball park.

The skating rink committee, headed by Paul Bouvier, with E. J. Makowichuk, vice-president, and Mrs. A. Mastaler, secretary-treasurer, working in co-operation with the town council have given much time and thought to the plans and are to be commended for the good job they have done.

Cecil Davis will be caretaker for the season.

"That's real nice — maybe I can line up some jobs for you with an Alberta Country Life Classified Ad!"

SHIRLEY DERKO CROWNED QUEEN

ATMORE — The annual bazaar was held Dec. 2, with a fair crowd in attendance.

Miss Shirley Derko of Grassland was crowned Queen, with Miss Elaine Boulanger and Miss Lorraine Duigou runners-up. Father Croutou presented a necklace and ear ring set to the Queen and musical jewelry boxes to the other girls.

The raffle prizes were won by:

Comforter, Mike Karpetz, Breynat; electric percolator, Gerard Plamondon; third prize, Eli Cholach, Grassland.

A smorgasboard supper was served, followed by the show "Danny Boy" which concluded the evening.

Lac la Biche

It has been brought to the attention of your reporter that the wrong names were given to those taking part in the skit "The Cremation of Sam Magee" at the Awards Night. The boys who took part were Paul Bissette, Roy Shewchuk and Kamel Abougoush. Our apologies for this error.

Mr. and Mrs. George Dotzenroth and four children, Terry, Wendy, Debra and Peter, leave shortly for Dawson City, Yukon, where Mr. Dotzenroth has been transferred by the department of transport. The Dotzenroth family came here from eastern Canada three years ago.

Tommy Trefananko of Wandering River has joined the staff of the local treasury branch.

From now till the end of the Christmas and New Year holidays, the stores in Lac la Biche will remain open all day Thursdays.

Thirty-Rink 'Spiel Opens Lac la Biche Curling Rink

LAC LA BICHE — The newly enlarged Curling Rink was opened Thursday of last week when a local warm up Christmas bonspiel got under way with 30 rinks entered. The ice was in excellent condition and, with below zero temperature, the popular winter sport was enjoyed by all those taking part.

As the 'spiel opened, many veteran Lac la Biche curlers were to be seen limbering up for the coming season. Mike Hamar was there, looking as fit as ever; Dr. and Mrs. Cadzow were both present; Ernie Coutney, Jerry Karasinski, Roy Raines, John Konowalchuk and August Gatzke were as keen as though they had been practising all summer; Mary Tesolin and Mrs. Ben Rizzoli were there and several ladies and men who are newer members of the club, such as Mr. and Mrs. Cameron Bracken, Const. Devlin and Lena Bereska, as well as several high school boys.

Thirty rinks is the largest number ever to enter in a bonspiel here, which is good evidence that the third sheet of ice added this year will be kept busy.

Under the capable supervision of the building committee, convened by Dr. D. Bouvier and M. A. Terrabain, the waiting room has been enlarged and finished with knotty pine and thermo-space windows, for the comfort and convenience of the spectators. The kitchen space has been increased, a fridge and stove have been installed and booth service consisting of coffee, hamburgers, etc., will be available during curling hours. Adequate gas heating and plumbing have been installed. The exterior of the addition is finished in stucco.

The curling rink executive consists of: president, H. Senetza; 1st vice-president, Jimmie Hamar; 2nd vice-president, Mike Steffen; secretary, E. J. Woynarowich; treasurer, L. Shewchuk, building and finance, Dr. D. Bouvier, M. A. Terrabain; bonspiel prizes, Mike Hamar; social and entertainment, J. Hackman; membership, J. T. Mackriss, ice committee, J. Konowalchuk; public relations, J. K. Olstad; bonspiel, Paul Bouvier; draw master, F. W. McMillan; concession committee convener, Audry Clarke.

A men's round robin will get under way as soon as the present bonspiel is finished and a ladies' league will also hold a round robin at the same time. Any one wishing to take part in these events is asked to contact the executive.

The Lac la Biche open bonspiel will be held as usual the 9th, 10th and 11th of February.

With the keen interest already shown in the bonspiel and with the many fine improvements to the building, it is evident the curling rink will be a popular place this winter and is a sport centre of which the town can well be proud.

Farewell Party Honors Kereks

LAC LA BICHE — Prior to their departure to Grande Prairie where they have been transferred by the Fish and Game Branch, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Kerek were honored by some 60 friends at a farewell party.

Dr. William Cadzow presented the popular couple with a purse of money from those present. J. Williams, representing the department of lands and forests, Gordon Lee, the Fish and Game Branch, Const. Devlin, RCMP, and Dr. Bouvier on behalf of the town, also spoke.

Duane, as he is known to his many friends, has been with the Fish and Game Branch for eight years, having come here four and one-half years ago from Vermilion. His home is at Faust and Mr. Kerek was raised at High River.

K Of C Grand Knight Receives 4th Degree

LAC LA BICHE — Dr. D. D. Bouvier, Grand Knight of Knights of Columbus, Lac la Biche, and L. J. Bartman received the exemplification of the fourth degree in Calgary at ceremonies held at the Palliser Hotel.

Some 75 members of the Knights of Columbus, representing many districts in the province, were admitted to the fourth degree and took their pledge of patriotism to the church and state.

The occasion was concluded by a banquet in the evening, held at the Palliser Hotel attended by the Knights and their wives and many church dignitaries and city officials present to mark this occasion.

Mrs. D. D. Bouvier and Mrs. L. J. Bartman accompanied their husbands. A special luncheon was held in the afternoon in honor of the ladies visiting in Calgary. This was held at Rideau Towers in S.W. Calgary. Four ladies from the St. Paul district were also guests at the luncheon.

PRETTY LIZ FERRIS, 20-year-old medical student at the Middlesex Hospital, London, can afford to smile. She recently won two gold medals, for the springboard and the high-diving events, at the World Student Games held in Sofia, Bulgaria.

Jack Bigg Discusses North Development

LAC LA BICHE — Jack Bigg was guest speaker at the recent Chamber of Commerce meeting. A large and attentive group was on hand to hear Mr. Bigg speak on matters of vital interest to the town and district.

Main topic for discussion was the development of the north and a proposed satellite TV station. In an attempt to get early action, the secretary, J. Klein, was instructed to write to the dominion government concerning a road to the north, and to the CBC regarding the satellite TV station.

Conservatives Hosts At Dine & Dance Ball

Despite the severe weather at the time, some 160 guests enjoyed the president's dine and dance ball held in St. Paul recently, a gracious and gala event such as is seldom seen in the district, sponsored by the St. Paul Conservative Association.

Among the guests of honor were F. J. Bigg of Westlock, MP for Athabasca constituency and Mrs. Bigg and Frank Fane, MP for Vegreville constituency.

One of the tables, decorated with tall blue candles and a floral centrepiece of blue and gold daisies, was set for that special group of guests known as "Les Vrais Bleu". Among those honored at this table were Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Germaine and Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Gauvreau. During the course of the evening Mr. and Mrs. Bigg presented corsages to Mrs. Germaine and Mrs. Gauvreau as a token of their long-time adherence to "Les Vrais Bleu."

The committee in charge of the affair made special mention of the fact that the music of the Joe Dubuc orchestra from Vegreville added so much to the charm of the event with the rendition of some of the lovely old-time waltzes among other selections.

At midnight the dancers paused to partake of a banquet convened by Mrs. Olga Brunelle with able assistance from Mrs. Romeo Champagne, Mrs. Evangeline Bouchard and Mrs. Alvina Belland.

The committee extended its sincere thanks to all who worked towards making the evening the tremendous success it was.

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Atmore

Visitors to Edmonton over the weekend included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Duigou and Nick Kostiuk.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Tremblay of Lac la Biche visited at the Jerome Johnson home over the weekend.

Ethel Smith And Lorne Fleming Pledge Wedding Vows At Calgary

HYLO—A gracious wedding ceremony recently took place in the Mormon church in Calgary when Miss Ethel Ada Smith, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Smith of Hylo, exchanged marriage vows with Mr. Lorne Keith Fleming of Calgary, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. Fleming.

Bishop Kearl performed the double-ring ceremony.

Miss Smith was a recent graduate of the Calgary Hospital School of Nursing. She completed her elementary grades in the Hylo school, majoring in mathematics, then received her senior matriculation in Dr. Swift's school at Lac la Biche.

Given in marriage by her older brother Ed, the bride was radiant in a white lace walking dress with three-quarter length sleeves and rounded neckline. She wore a small velvet net white hat and matching accessories. Her bouquet was red sweetheart roses with white streamers and she wore a dainty pearly pendant.

The groom wore a dark suit and a white boutonniere.

Mrs. Earl Fleming was matron-of-honor and best man was Mr. Earl Fleming of Calgary, brother of the groom.

A reception for relatives and close friends was held at the Calgary hotel.

The bride's table was centred with a three-tiered wedding cake which was baked and decorated by Mrs. G. Fleming, mother of the groom.

The following Monday a wedding dance was held in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Fleming in the Hylo hall which was well attended.

The bride's mother wore a brown dress with jacket to match, a white corsage and brown accessories.

Hostesses for the evening were the bride's aunt, Mrs. Gus Juknies, and sisters of the bride, Joan in a pretty rust colored dress and Gloria in a beautiful blue lace. Co-hostesses were cousins of the bride, Mrs. Melvin Rayment (Helen) and Doreen Juknies. A luncheon was served at midnight. Refreshments were served in the early evening. Dancing was enjoyed to the lively music of the Northern Blue Star Ramblers of Plamondon. The tape recording of the wedding ceremony entertained the crowd during lunch intermission.

Mr. Lorne Fleming, on behalf of his wife and himself, thanked everyone for the many beautiful gifts, the great honor and kind welcome which were given them.

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Fleming returned to Calgary the next day where he is employed with the City Transit Bus Co. and his wife in the Calgary General hospital.

Sarrail

Weekend visitors from Edmonton included: Paul Marchak, Misses Stella Shyian, Diana Kononchuk and George Wasalenchuk.

Mrs. Marchak has been visiting friends and relatives in the city recently.

Paul Romanyshyn is now employed at Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Holowenko motored to Edmonton recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Romanyshyn motored to Athabasca during the week.

The Grassland High School Students' Union motored to Lac la Biche theatre to see "Ben Hur." Mr. Johnson took the children with his bus.

Card of Thanks

We would like to take this opportunity to express our sincere gratitude to all those who kindly assisted us after the loss of our home through fire. Thanks to all responsible for the benefit dance, donations of clothing etc. and those who made contributions through Leo Gregwoire, George Suhan and Mike Popowich. Special thanks fo to Mr. and Mrs. Dave Onciul who were kind enough to take us in until our home was built. We greatly appreciate the thoughfulness of our district.

—Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hillary.

Caslan

Elmer Johnson is a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital.

Donald Gordon went to Spurfield where he will be employed in a logging camp.

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Photo Studio Opens In Lac La Biche

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughes Celebrate Grand Opening

By Lucy Best

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hughes had the grand opening of their camera shop on Dec. 9. Three door prizes were given away: a camera, a portrait and film.

They have a stock of cameras, film and frames. Soon they plan to have projectors.

Christmas cards can be bought here. Portraits and weddings are taken in black and white or color. A special rate is given on all pre-Christmas pictures.

Films can be processed by Superior in two or three days. All portraits are taken by appointment. Tom Hughes will go to wedding receptions and homes.

The building formerly housed Jimmy Stewart's drug store. The customer first enters a reception and sales room. Behind is the studio and dressing room. The dark room is on the extreme far corner.

The best way to cure camera shyness, Tom Hughes says, is to talk to the person, learn to know his personality and help him to relax.

For different occasions, a different type of portrait is needed, he says. If the picture is of a man for his girl friend, it is best to concentrate on the lips. If for a job, the eyes are important.

The easiest types to photograph are those with high cheek bones and large eyes. A large jaw presents problems.

Anyone can be made to look beautiful, says Tom Hughes, if the picture is taken at a flattering angle and, if necessary, touched up.

Children are difficult to take because they are always moving, he says. But sometimes better pictures can be taken of children because they are more relaxed.

Women, he considers, are easier to photograph than men because they take more trouble with their appearance. Good character studies can be taken of men, though.

Mr. Hughes can take a portrait with a 5 by 4 negative. He hopes later to have a 5 by 7 negative camera. Wide angle shots of large groups can be taken if the lighting is good enough.

Black and white photographs can be colored. The negative is usually needed because all paper is not suitable for oil coloring.

The Hughes live at Sugden, 45 miles from Lac la Biche. Richard Schoff will be at the shop during the day. Mr. and Mrs. Hughes will be there during the evening, Saturday and school holidays. Most portrait appointments will be for Saturdays.

Mr. and Mrs Hughes think their shop is needed in Lac la Biche. The closest shops before they opened were in St. Paul, 90 miles away, or in Boyle, 50 miles away.

Gwen Hughes, formerly Gwen Drysdale, is helping her husband with the new camera shop. She was born in Edmonton and attended Ashmont School.

For one year she was at Alberta university faculty of education. Later she taught for five years at Vilna, Bluffton, Edmonton and now at Sugden.

She mainly teaches the first three grades. Maths and scientific subjects are the subjects she prefers teaching.

Her son David is now five and a half months old. She has been married three years.

David Thomas Hughes, who is running the new camera shop with his wife was born in Edmonton. He was educated at Scona High School. For two years he attended the faculty of education at Alberta university.

He has taught for four years at Vilna, Bluffton and Sugden where he now lives. The new business is a sideline for him.

Professional dancing is a spare time interest. He can teach tap, highland, ballet, modern and square dancing.

At Alberta university he started taking photographs. At Vilna he took wedding and portrait pictures in the summer.

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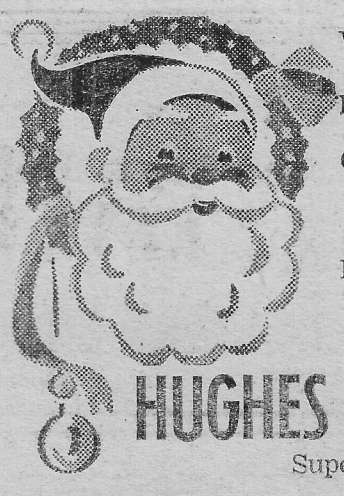

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What Alberta Women's Institutes Are Doing

By Mrs. P. S. Kozdrowski, Warspite

Many health topics were studied at recent Alberta Women's Institutes meetings.

At the Five Point meeting life guard Scott Blackburn spoke on water safety while at the Ohaton meeting Fire Chief Alec Webb spoke on artificial respiration and demonstrated how it is done most effectively. Balmoral members watched a similar demonstration given by Mrs. V. and Mrs. L. Northey. At the Wide Canyon meeting Mrs. J. Heathman and Mrs. H. Engbretson spoke on first aid for bleeding and shock while at Didsbury Mrs. Brian Fohnson gave a bandaging demonstration. Pine Cone members heard Mrs. S. Nelson speak on shock and treatments for same. Mrs. A. W. Orr told the Kelsey members about the poison control service in the province.

Known causes of cancer and chances for cure were discussed at the Brighton by Mrs. Albert Calvert while at Leduc Dr. K. Jenson listed new developments in cancer research. Mrs. George King discussed the connection between cigarette smoking and lung cancer at the same meeting. Rocky Mountain House members heard Mrs. A. Scott list the services made available to cancer patients. At the Orion meeting, R. Finnigan, B.Sc., spoke on cancer histology and showed films, Miss Y. Filipinnin, RN, spoke on the assistance that may be procured through welfare and Mrs. A. O. Henderson from the Cancer Society spoke on the work of the society. Mrs. Henderson also addressed the Bow Island meeing, speaking on the same topic.

Millet members heard their school principal, A. A. McGladrie, stress the need for physical education in today's centralized schools, while at Warburg, Mrs. J. Manuel, public health nurse, showed films dealing with 'Shyness' and how it affects school children. How cleanliness can prevent disease spreading in schools was the topic Mrs. C. Zeigler chose when she addressed the Pope Lease meeting. When Miss Shirley MacDonald addressed the Happy Centre branch her topic was 'Food Sanitation.'

Safety was uppermost in the minds of many members where the talks given dealt with safety at various levels.

At Cluny, Corporal A. Potter spoke on safety rules on the highway and at the Winterburn meeting H. Murdoch from the Highway Traffic Board covered the same topic and showed films. When Mrs. S. F. Arnfinson addressed the Hobbema meeting she also used the same topic. 'Safety in your hands' was Mrs. A. J. Rapple's topic when she spoke at the Rosedale WI while at Belvedere safety in the home and on the farm was discussed by Mrs. E. Adams. For her talk dealing with safety Mrs. Oscar Johanson warned the Burnt Lake members about the fire hazards in the homes. When Mrs. R. L. Smith addressed the Coronation gathering she stressed that TLC — tender loving care — was the best medicine for the mentally retarded. Alix members heard Mrs. E. Ekvall point out how vital it was to remove the stigma attached to mental illnesses. What is a nervous breakdown was the question answered by Mrs. William Persinger's talk at the Lone Pine meeting while a the Rocky Mountain House institute Mrs. E. Neilson stressed the importance of good physical and mental health. The great value of a pause during busy days was the subject of Mrs. G. Ballhorn's address at the Angus WI. When Mrs. G. Miles, RN, spoke at Springvale's meeting she stressed the importance in home nursing where elderly people and children are concerned. At Devon, Mrs. M. Reaugh,RN, spoke on home nursing. 'What does your doctor think of you' was the topic of Mrs. R. Fisher's talk at the Samis meeting while at High Prairie Mrs. J. McGowan's tak was entitled 'Tell your doctor everything'.

A number of illnesses were discussed by different branches during their health meetings.

At Olds View Mrs. W. Lauritzen spoke on arthritis, at Pibroch Mrs. M. Gunderson spoke on hemophilia, at Didsbury Mrs. J. Taechrob spoke on high blood pressure, at Picardville Dr. A. Little spoke on lung infections, at Lougheed Mrs. E. Einar spoke on glucoma and at the Warspite meeting Mrs. G. Palamarek read on article on cystic fibrosis. Dental health was discussed at Pine Lake by Dr. C. A. White and in Edmonton by Mrs. A. Whiten. Care of the eyes was Mrs. H. D. Dunn's subject when she addressed the Sundial WI.

Kinuso's members enjoyed Mrs. A. Card's talk dealing with eating habits, stating that everyone likes to eat but no one likes to be fat. Elnora members also enjoyed Mrs. C. Copeland's talk entitled 'An adventure in Girth Control' dealing with the dangers of obesity and reducing. Mrs. R. Hegland spoke on reducing at the Champion meeting.

LSA Notes

PLAMONDON — The monthly meeting of the Ladies of St Ann was recently held at the town hall, with a large number of members present.

Various matters were discussed, including cleaning of the church. Mrs. George Plamondon and her sons Gerome and Merle were appointed for the week.

The cleaning of the new rectory, which is going ahead rapidly, was discussed.

City Council Not Impressed With Yellowhead Association

At its last meeting city council maintained the attitude of cool indifference it has shown all year toward the Trans-Canada Highway System Association (Yellowhead Route), headed by former mayor William Hawrelak.

The association promotes a highway linking Winnipeg and Vancouver, via Saskatoon, Edmonton and the Yellowhead Pass.

Up for discussion was a letter from the group notifying council of the tenth annual meeting, to be held in Saskatoon. Jan. 2, 1962.

Mayor Roper noted that at the start of the year council had received a request from the association for the city's usual $1,000 contribution, but that payment was deferred until word was received on the "proposed reorganization of the association."

The mayor said he personally feels it is "too bad we find ourselves in the position of not giving full support to the building of the Yellowhead route . . ."

However, Ald. George Prudham said, "I don't think we have to use that vehicle (the association)."

He recalled that last year council had sent to city MPs a resolution urging work on the route. Drawing on his own experience in parliament, he said, "these pressure groups are not nearly as effective as (appeals) through elected representatives."

Ald. Fred Mitchell asked, "Who are the representatives (on the association) and how are they elected? We asked for a copy of what the set-up is."

Mayor Roper called the Yellowhead group a "loose association," with representatives of towns along the route.

Ald. Angus McGugan said its officers had been elected at an open meeting in Kamloops.

Council received the association's letter as information.

Our Own Dictionary — Self control: Something we tell our children they should acquire.

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Town of Lac la Biche

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS

Notice is hereby given that, under the provisions of the Tax Recovery Act, the Town of Lac la Biche will offer for sale by public auction, in the Town Office, Lac la Biche, Alberta, on Friday, the 29th of December, 1961, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon. the following parcel of land:

Lot	Block	Plan
4	19	4313 B.F.

The parcel will be offered for sale, subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, as to those parcels upon which any person resides, or of which any person is in actual occupation, and subject to a reserve bid and to the reservations and conditions contained in the existing Certificate of title.

Terms: Cash.

Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Lac la Biche this 9th day of December, 1961.

F. D. CREIGHTON,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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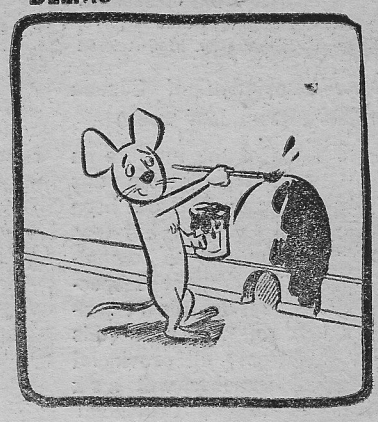
Our Weekly Page of Features

THOSE WERE THE DAYS

By ART BEEMAN

THOSE WERE THE DAYS-
by Art Beeman
Released by Smith Service Demarest, N. J.
I'LL CARRY THESE GROCERIES--PUT THE REST IN OUR BUGGY... HERE'S YOUR $5.00
THANK YOU, I'LL HAVE YOUR CHANGE IN A MOMENT!
SOAP
But now-WOW!
FIVE BUCKS FOR THIS LITTLE BAG OF GROCERIES?
?!!
12-3-58
SALE
OH, DEAR-MAYBE I DIDN'T CHARGE YOU FOR EVERYTHING!

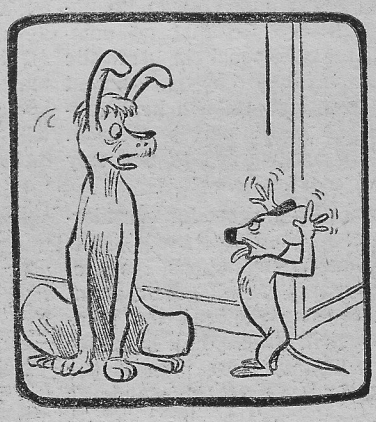
DEEMS



GOING WEST

BY FRANK THOMAS

I DON'T LIKE DANCES, CLEMENTINE..SOMEONE ALLUS PICKS A FIGHT WITH ME!
AW, C'MON!
DANCE TONIGHT
Released by Smith Service Demarest, N. J.
UH-ER, EXCUSE ME FER BUMPIN' YER ELBOW, HOSSFACE!
GRR!
OH, THASS ALL RIGHT!
HEY!-THIS IS OUR TABLE!
-ER-BUT YOU CAN USE IT, HOSSFACE OL' PAL!
?
THANKS!
I CAIN'T GIT OVER IT!-NOBODY JUMPED ME TONIGHT..I MUST BE GAININ' WEIGHT AND FILLIN' OUT A LITTLE!
COULD BE!
H-5



SONNY SOUTH

By AL SONDERS

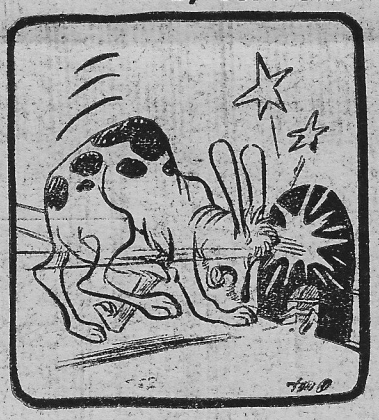
GRANNY HEAT SOME WATER SONNY JUST FELL INT' TURNER'S POND!
TURNER'S POND IS MIGHTY COLD. AH'D BETTAH HEAT A BIG PAN FULL SO HE CAN SOAK HIS FEET GOOD!
THAT'S NOT NEAR ENOUGH, GRANNY--
?
IT WON'T START T' MELT ALL THAT ICE!
Released by Smith Service Demarest, N. J.
12-3-58
AL SONDERS

RURAL DELIVERY

By AL SMITH

DON'T WORRY, SONNY! SANTA HAS A GOOD MEMORY. I WON'T FORGET A THING!
I TOLD SANTA TO WRITE MY LIST DOWN BUT HE SAID HE'D REMEMBER!
SURE, HE WILL, SON!
-AND WHAT DO YOU WANT FOR CHRISTMAS, MY BOY?
GIVE
CHRISTMAS FUND
12-3-58
YOU NUMBSKULL I TOLD YOU TO WRITE IT DOWN!
AL SMITH

By TOM OKA



NOTHING BUT THE TRUTH

by Russ Arnold

The average WOMAN'S HEIGHT has gained 1-INCH in the past 30 years!
AVERAGE HEIGHT NOW-64 3/8 INCHES!
BOOM!
THUNDER is heard in NEW MEXICO 50 to 70 days EACH YEAR!!
WHERE?
The LONGEST Geographical name in the U.S. is that of a LAKE, in WEBSTER, MASS.,
LAKE CHARGOGGAGOGG-MANCHAUGGAGOGGCHAU-BUNAGUNGAMAUGG!
12-3-58
--she will also LIVE 5 1/2 years LONGER than her MAN!!

Uncle CHARLEY'S "Epigrins"

As a rule folks who pat you on the back are tryin' to git you to cough up.

* * *

To be strong without you gotta be calm within.

* * *

It's so easy to mistake grandeur for greatness.

* * *

Jr. Hinch don't pray before he eats because his Mom is a good cook.

* * *

This metallic age means Gold in your teeth, silver in your hair and lead in your pants.

* * *

The folks who cracked the atom blame near busted civilization.

* * *

The problem of livin' ain't so bad if you kin find the answers.

* * *

The school of experience sure has some tough teachers.

* * *

Many a dad has a son to fill his shoes and a daughter to fill his shirts.

* * *

To make life easier reduce friction to a fraction.

REV. CHARLEY GRANT
Released by
APA Smith Service
12-3-58

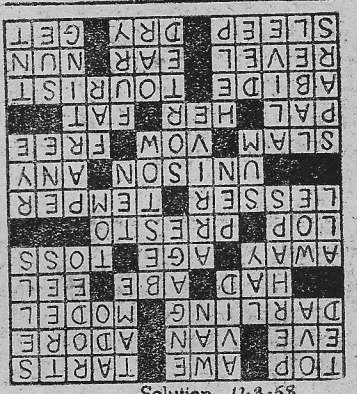
Crossword

ACROSS

1. Crest
4. Reverence
7. Small pies
12. Night before
13. Large truck
14. Love
15. Dear one
17. Ideal
18. Possessed
19. Boy's nickname
21. Lamprey
22. Absent
24. Grow older
25. Pitch
26. Cut off
27. Quickly
29. Smaller
31. Bad disposition
35. Harmony
37. Some
38. Shut noisily
41. Swear
42. Rid
43. Companion
44. That girl
45. Obese
46. Live
48. Traveler
52. Gay feast
53. Auricle
54. Religious sister
55. Take a nap
56. Arid
57. Obtain

DOWN

1. Spread to dry
2. Eggs
3. Maybe
4. Greedy
5. Pale
6. Hire
7. Domesticate
8. Fuss
9. Wild west show
10. Large woody plants
11. Vends
16. Put down
20. Confer upon
22. Entire
23. Grief
24. Come
25. Male cat
27. Writing implement
28. A number
30. Add up
32. Separating
33. Compass point
34. Cereal grain
36. Graded
38. Boxes
39. Marking tag
40. Living
42. Distant
44. Aid
45. Wrath
47. English river
49. Rowing implement
50. Bring legal action against
51. Explosive



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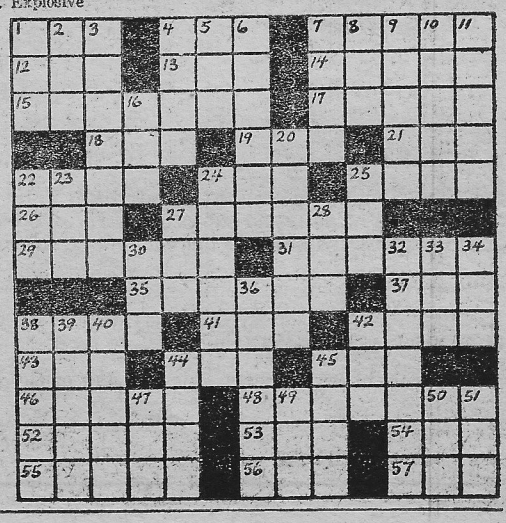

THE Homemaker

District Home Economist, Westlock
By Bertha M. McCutcheon

Consumers Association of Canada

(Continued from last week)

What are some of the matters on which CAC will take action this year? For some years CAC has been concerned that there is no compulsory meat inspection in most provinces. Again (this year) all provincial branches will ask their provincial governments to take action to insure that no uninspected meat is sold in domestic outlets and that the government adopt a policy of uniform health inspection of meat across Canada. Consumers are warned to buy only inspected meat.

B. McCutcheon

Among other matters for consideration are:

Government regulations to include standards for all ground meat similar to that required for hamburger which states that hamburg may not contain more than 30 per cent fat; and to establish standards for all canned fish products.

A request to the government to set up standards of inflammability of fabrics for garments, toys and household furnishings, and for the control of dangerously inflammable fabrics.

Continued requests to manufacturers of packaged goods to standardize weights and sizes of packaged goods in even numbers, e.g. 2 oz., 4 oz. rather than fractions.

Manufacturers will be asked to put serial numbers in a convenient place on stoves and other large appliances.

For the first time CAC will suggest to manufacturers that they label all consumer goods both in metric and foot-pound measurements, and will ask the government to make a study with the United States, Great Britain and other Commonwealth couitries to adopt a uniform standard of measurements based on the metric system.

CAC is also concerned about the increased use of chemical sprays to control insects and pests—especially since it is known that the strong toxic effects of these substances when used excessively may be transferred to food products. Accordingly CAC is requesting that the federal government introduce stricter control of the use of these sprays and that it enlarge the inspection and laboratory staff of the Food and Drug Directorate to ensure adequate inspection of all food products in areas where these sprays are used.

CAC will continue to urge labelling of contents on all products which contain poisonous substances. As it was found that Aspirin tablets figure in nearly 23 per cent of all accidental poisonings and that more than two-thirds of these involve children's type of tablets CAC will warn parents of the danger of SAS to young children and will urge that regulations of the Food and Drugs Act regarding the labelling of ASA be amended to ensure that cautionary statements of contents be printed in larger and more legible type.

Almost all this work for consumers is done by volunteers. "What can I give?" and "What do I get?" from such an organization, a new member may ask. Often, as in other organizations, the answer is that the more one gives the more one receives. Some volunteers are highly trained specialists who lend their time and special training to consumer interests. All, whatever else they bring, bring to CAC the experience gained as shoppers for themselves and their families. All are welcome. Some from a busy life can spare only time to read the bulletin which is issued ten times a year. Some will attend meetings. Others will play an active part at local, provincial or national level. All can contribute to consumer thinking, through individual written queries, criticisms or praise of consumer goods and marketing methods; and through resolutions progressing from local to provincial branches and on to national CAC.

To each member the bulletin brings reports of "What CAC is Doing" for consumers, answers to consumer queries of general interest, information to help in wise buying. For example, recent bulletins have carried articles about buying a dishwasher, a refrigerator, vacuum cleaners, a washing machine—fruit drinks versus fruit juices—Strontium 90—why crease resistant, buying furs, life jackets; will perfume stain clothing, etc.

These benefits will be greatly increased when CAC develops its present plans to make available to its members the results of comparative testing. Consumers are no longer satisfied with advertising blurbs in place of facts. They want to judge commodities on the strength of their performance tests, not on catchy slogans and empty phrases which, like sounding brass and tinkling cymbals, signify nothing. Just as soon as it is financially able to do so, CAC aims to provide these all-important facts. But, please remember that CAC is a non-profit organization planned by consumers, for consumers. To succeed it needs your help and support. If you are already a member, renew your subscription promptly. If you are not already a member, join now, and take part in the most worthwhile program for consumers that Canada has ever known.

Alberta branch membership chairman, Mrs. J. O. Joyce, 10037-88 Ave., Edmonton, Alberta.

Coral reefs are skeleton-like masses formed by the secretion from animals called "coral polyps."

Most religious arguments are over non-essentials.

Hospital News

LAC LA BICHE — Patients admitted to St. Catherine's Hospital up to Dec. 9: Mrs. Daniel Lechky, Boyle; Rene Langevin, Lena Bourque, John Diachuk, Bertha Benson, Wilfred Cardinal, Elizabeth Lacorde, Lac la Biche; George G. Berland, Barnegat; Lawrence Harpe, Denis Rizzoli, Mrs. Dolphus Burke, Lac la Biche; Terry Dragon, Plamondon; Mrs. Arnie R. Amblie, Lac la Biche; Joseph Desjarlais, Barnegat; Mrs. Fred Rebkowich, Wandering River; Nick Mahowich, Hylo; Mrs. Percy Pruden, Lac la Biche; Etienne Monias, Imperial Mills; Alfred Toutant, Denis Harpe, Lac la Biche; Shirley Reid, Caslan; Peter Watamaniuk, Valerie Larocoue, Lena Cardinal, Peggy Bourque, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Patrick Bourque, Caslan; Andrew Kopin, Grassland; Debra Thompson, Lac la Biche; Albert Monias, Imperial Mills; Larry Laboucane, Barnegat; Mrs. Francis Cardinal, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Paul Belanger, Ramona Plamondon, Plamondon; Joseph Brady, Lac la Biche; Dolphus Desjarlais, Barnegat; Mrs. Eldage Gregoire, Garry Harpe, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Elzear Cardinal, Philomena; Oliver Cardinal, Mrs. Howard Lett, Mrs. Roy Whitford, Emile Boucher, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Tony Berard, Kikino; Josephine Tremblay, Sylvia Cadieux, Lac la Biche; Mrs. Edith Whitford, McRae; Ann Carol Russ, Lac la Biche; Mrs. George Cardinal, Caslan; Millie Sally Desjarlais, Conklin; Jacquelin Grenier, Gerald Brent Cardinal, Lucille Hamelin, Mrs. Mohamed Elludin, Lac la Biche.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elzear Cardinal, Philomena, a girl, December 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lechky, Boyle, a girl, Dec. 8.

The pink polk-dotted pachyderms heralded a circus which was to open here.

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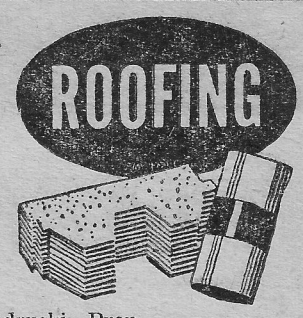

PUBLIC SALE OF LANDS UNDER THE TAX RECOVERY ACT, R.S.A., 1955

COUNTY OF ATHABASCA NO. 12

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, the County of Athabasca No. 12 will offer for sale by public auction at the County office of the Secretary-Treasurer, in the Town of Athabasca, Alberta, on Friday, the 29th day of December, 1961, at 2:00 o'clock in the afternoon, the following parcels of land:

Pt. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	M.	Area
S.W.	32	64	18	4	160
S.W.	13	68	17	4	160
Pt. N.E. (C. of T. 146-X-141)	6	65	18	4	.26
N.E.	12	66	19	4	160
S.W.	9	67	19	4	161
S.E.	3	68	19	4	161
Pt. N.W. (C. of T. 178-Z-104)	28	68	19	4	158.57
S.E.	34	63	20	4	160
Pt. N.W. (C. of T. 171-Z-83)	5	64	20	4	155.05
S.W.	16	65	20	4	160
Pt. N.E. (C. of T. 115-N-158)	16	66	20	4	155.53
S.E.	21	66	20	4	159
S.W.	22	66	20	4	160
N.E.	36	66	20	4	161
S.W.	28	66	21	4	159
N.W.	4	67	21	4	161
S.E.	5	67	21	4	152
N.W. (C. of T. 224-N-78)	20	67	21	4	144.8
N.W.	23	63	22	4	160
S.E.	9	65	22	4	160
Pt. N.W. (C. of T. 160-P-173)	1	69	22	4	155.84
Pt. S.W. (C. of T. 190-D-101)	1	69	22	4	155.24
S.W.	12	69	22	4	160
S.E.	10	62	23	4	160
S.E.	3	63	23	4	145
N.E. (C. of T. 242-O-172)	2	64	23	4	156.22
S.W. (C. of T. 73-W-152)	24	65	24	4	157.99
Pt. S.W. (C. of T. 6-B-134)	4	66	24	4	154.07
N.E.	5	66	24	4	159
S.E. (C. of T. 97-V-87)	23	68	24	4	158
S.W. (C. of T. of 85-B-101)	23	68	24	4	158

Colinton

Lot	Block	Plan
7 (C. of T. 78-K-132)	2	1130BN

Ellscott

Lot	Block	Plan
5 (C. of T. 133-W-129)	2	1604HW

Each parcel will be offered for sale, subject to the approval of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, and subject to a reserve bid and to the reservations and conditions contained in the existing certificate of title.

Terms: Cash.

Redemption may be effected by payment of all arrears of taxes and costs at any time prior to the sale.

Dated at Athabasca, Alberta, this 2nd day of October, 1961.

W. J. LESKIW,
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Lorna Belanger And Roland Paradis Pledge Vows At St. Francis Church

St. Francis Catholic Church, Edmonton, was the scene of a pretty wedding when Miss Lorna Marie Belanger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Belanger, became the bride of Mr. Roland Romeo Paradis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Paradis, all of Edmonton.

The ceremony was conducted by Rev. Fr. Adams before an altar decorated with white and gold chrysanthemums.

The wedding music was played by Mrs. Niziol and Mr. Lucien Paradis was soloist.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a floor-length gown of white organza over net designed with a bouffant skirt, fitted Empire bodice of French lace, scooped neckline and lily point sleeves. Her four-tier shoulder-length nylon tulle veil misted from a crown of simulated pearls. Her only jewelry was a one-strand pearl necklace and earrings and she carried a bouquet of red roses.

The bride's attendants were Miss Irene Paradis, sister of the groom, Miss Hazel Hrynyk, close friend of the bride, and Miss Phyllic Plamondon, cousin of the bride. All wore royal blue dresses with white feather hats and gloves. Their jewelry was crystal sets of earrings and necklace, gift of the bride, and they carried bouquets of white carnations. Flower girl Karen Belanger, sister of the bride, was charming in a short white rayon taffeta frock trimmed with lace. Her headpiece of nylon tulle was held with a small crown and she carried a small bouquet of red roses.

The best men were Mr. Andrew Plamondon, cousin of the bride, Mr. Charles Paradis Jr., brother of the groom, and Mr. Alcide Menard, cousin of the groom. Ring-bearer was Ricky Plamondon. They wore identical charcoal black suits, white shirts and royal blue ties, a gift of the groom.

Ushers were Mr. Ovide Plamondon, uncle of the bride, and Mr. Maurice Paradis, brother of the groom.

For her daughter's wedding Mrs. Belanger chose a beige flowered brocade sheath dress with short jacket, accessories of brown and beige and corsage of red roses.

For her son's wedding Mrs. Paradis wore a beige brocade dress with peacock blue hat and gloves, black shoes and hangbag and yellow roses en corsage.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the IOOF Hall, Edmonton for about 100 guests.

The bride's table was centred with a three-layer wedding cake.

For her wedding trip to California the bride donned a gold wool suit, gold hat, brown shoes and handbag and fur jacket, with corsage of mauve orchids.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Paradis will make their home in Edmonton.

Out-of-town guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Bert Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Girard; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Esdras Belanger; Mr. and Mrs. Felix Belanger; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Belanger; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Belanger; Mr. David Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Plamondon; Mr. and Mrs. Narcisse Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bourassa; Mr. Noel Bourassa; Miss Lena Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Bourassa; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mellott; Mr. and Mrs. Nick Hrynyk; Mr. and Mrs. Emile Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Menard; Mr. and Mrs. Armand Paradis; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Trussel.

There is nothing as pompous as an "authority" who has to maintain his reputation.

Plamondon

Mrs. P. Belanger and Miss Anna Schaub motored to Edmonton on business and returned the same night.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonse Plamondon were recent business visitors to Lac la Biche.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Plamondon took their baby girl Ramona to St. Catherine's hospital in Lac la Biche.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gagnon and Mrs. Joe Bosse motored to Lac la Biche on business.

A meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held at the Pelican Hotel.

Octave Chevigny and a few friends made a business trip to Edmonton.

Many district families motored to Lac la Biche to attend "Ben Hur", which depicted the life of Our Lord from when He was small until He was crucified.

A retreat was held at St. Paul for the rural Catholic action. Mrs. Philip Plamondon and Mrs. Roland Piquette motored to St. Paul to attend the retreat which proved instructive.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Cyre from Edmonton visited at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Cyre, for a few days.

Ulric Hebert and his son Dennis motored to Edmonton where they attended a car bingo.

Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Plamondon were recent visitors at the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duperron at Breynet.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Belanger have rented the cafe at the Pelican Hotel where Miss Mildred Ladouceur is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Richard took their baby Noel to Lac la Biche to see Dr. Bouvier, who advised them to rush him to Edmonton. Mrs. Richard, accompanied by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Albert Richard, motored to the city with Isadore Schaub. They took the 11-months-old baby to the General hospital. Mrs. Louis Richard returned home the same night and her mother-in-law stayed in Beverly with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Richard. Two days later she went to see the baby and found him much improved.

Mr. And Mrs. Duigou Married 24 Years

—ATMORE—A party was held at the Joe Duigou home celebrating a number of events. It was their 24th wedding anniversary, Lucien's birthday, Mr Duigou's birthday and a housewarming.

An enjoyable evening was spent. Music was supplied by the Northern Blue Star Ramblers.

They were presented with a number of gifts, among them being a set of TV tables, an electric percolator and a lovely bouquet of red roses.

Out-of-town guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rouault of St. Albert; Mr. and Mrs. Gabe Lefebre: Lucien and Beatrice Duigou of Edmonton; Mary Cosky of Bonnyville; Rod Cherkas and Geraldine of Lac la Biche.

Venice

Joe Tisi has gone to Edmonton where he will stay with his daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Nordin for the winter months.

Mr. and Mrs. Ornario Bordignon and girls from Mile 224 are visiting relatives in the district.

A. Guerra went to Edmonton where he met his daughter, Fiorella from Vancouver. After a few days visit she accompanied her brother Fred, who motored to Vancouver.

Mike Biollo from Chard visited his family recently.

Angelo Guerra was a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital.

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Many thanks also to James Hamar for accepting registrations and to the Ladies' Auxiliary of the Lac la Biche Legion under whose auspices the show was held.

+ News From Other Alberta Districts +

Pianist Takes First Place At Willingdon Talent Show

A pianist, a four piece orchestra and a vocatlist took the top three places in that order at the ACT-CFRN Search for Talent Show held at Willingdon recently. The show was held under the auspices of the Willingdon Fish and Game Association, with Camille Ethier in charge of local arrangements.

Of 14 entries Miss Judy Karbashewski of Willingdon won first place with a piano solo. Second place went to the Golden Tones of Andrew. This was a four-piece orchestra under the direction of Chris Pelechytick. Third place went to Phyllis Shandro of Willingdon with a vocal solo. All three winners received cash awards donated by Northwestern Utilities Limited.

Contestants were judged by John Achtymichuk of Edmonton, supervisor of music for the Clover Bar school division. Walter Zahaylo was captain for the Associated Canadian Travellers who sponsor Search for Talent with a twofold purpose of discovering local talent and raising funds for the Northern Alberta Crippled Children's Fund.

George Kachuk of Willingdon won the watch and Mrs. Alice Shewchuk, also of Willingdon, won the program prize, a Christensen shirt.

The show also featured Spotlight Parade under the direction of Jack Benbow and starring Johnny Forrest, Molly Kvittem, George Lund, Maureen Magrath and Johnny Kerr, all of Edmonton.

Miss Elaine Iftody of Willingdon, winner of the show last year was guest artist and received a cash award courtesy of Weber Bros. of Edmonton.

Following the show the cast and crew were guests of the Fish and Game Association at a game dinner and reception.

The Willingdon Chamber of Commerce presented the Travellers with a cheque for $75 in lieu of the town canvass. Presentation was made by Mr. Ethier.

LANCE CORPORAL Al Fedoriak of Willingdon has successfully completed the Western Command junior non-commissioned officers' course at Camp Wainwright. The course, which is designed to qualify soldiers to promotion to senior NCO rank, emphasized leadership training. He is a member of the Canadian Provost Corps, stationed at Chilliwack, B.C.

Modern advertising would accomplish much more if every advertiser made it his business to know what he is buying when he buys advertising.

Livestock Marketing Topic Of Forum

LAVOY — Approximately 60 persons, members of neighboring farm forums in the Vegreville area, FUA members and those interested in the agricultural industry, enjoyed the panel of speakers and participated in the discussion on the topic "Livestock Marketing in Alberta" on Monday evening at the National Hall. Following the listening to the taped radio broadcast over CBC radio, a panel consisting of Dick Bocking, moderator, associated with the CBC; Claire Anderson, vice-president Alberta FUA; Henry Winkelar of the ALC, Edmonton; Rusty Edwards, representing a packing plant, Edmonton, and Clarence Lovig, auction sale ring owner of Vermilion; presented their comments and views on the topic.

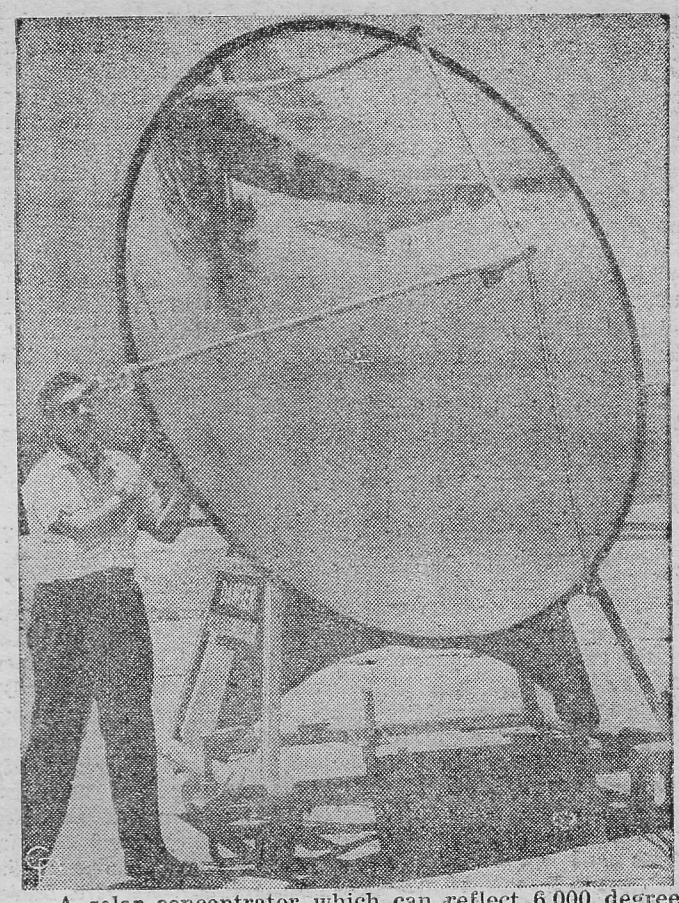
Among the points brought forward by the various panelists were that Alberta produces 25% of Canada's hogs, but only has 7% of Canada's population.

Between the producer and the consumer there is a great area of marketing and the first step to consider is understanding. In 1957 there were six auction marts in Alberta, and by 1960 these had risen to 32 and in 1961 to 53. An effective market place is one that provides sufficient volume of the product and competition between buyers.

Provincial Farm Forum Secretary James McFall complimented the sponsoring forum, Waskawa, on the evening's program, but stressed the need for the individual group's meeting, as these are the foundation of Farm Forum, which is an educational program. This year in the overall program, more organizations are being encouraged to take part, resulting in the Jan. 8 program being on 4-H clubs; the Jan. 15 program on Farm Management, when the Department of Agriculture and DA's will assist; and other program on grain handling when the Alberta Wheat Pool and the UGG will take part; vocational training and education on Feb. 5 when the WI and Home and School Associations will assist.

The panel members were thanked by Mrs. L. Smiley, while Herb Walker, representing the Northern Committee of Alberta Radio Farm Forum, thanked the Waskawa group and those who participated in the program.

Lunch served in the basement concluded an informative and interesting evening.



A solar concentrator which can reflect 6,000 degrees of heat is shown in operation in Arizona, where Goodyear Aircraft developed it for testing heat resistance of material for use in space flights. The device can turn most metals into boiling liquids.

Miss Iris Petesky Crowned Plain Lake Carnival Queen

A bazaar and carnival were held recently at the Ukrainian Catholic National Home of Taras Shevchenko in Plain Lake.

The carnival was sponsored by the Ukrainian Catholic parish, UCWL, Ukrainian National Home and the UCY Club of Plain Lake. Committee of the annual carnival includes Nick Babych, president; Tony Sawchuk, secretary; Mrs. B. Warawa; P. Gushnowsky; H. Krawchuk; P. Kisilewich and J. Stepushyn.

The bazaar consisted of bingo, crown-and-anchor and other chance games. Dancing was held each night of the three-day affair. The coronation of the queen was held on the last night when Miss Iris Petesky won the position. Princesses were Miss Hilda Warawa; Miss Gloria Laschowsky; Miss Sonia Zaleschuk; Miss Elsie Gushnowsky; Miss Sonia Humeniuk and Miss Diana Skoropadyk. All are from Plain Lake.

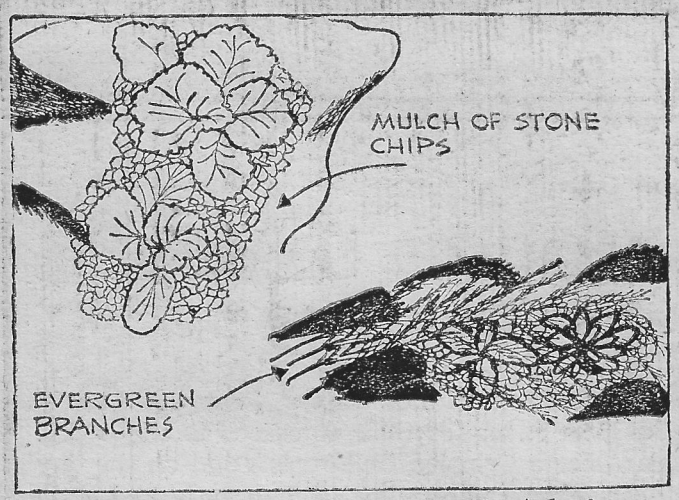
The queen and princesses were accompanied by their escorts. The procession was led by Nick Babich, who delivered a brief message. The past queen, Miss Gloria Laschowsky, then gave up her crown and robe to Queen Iris. The first princess assisted in this dressing ceremony. Mrs. M. B. Warawa presented each girl with a lovely corsage. First and second princesses were also crowned by Mrs. Warawa. President of the Plain Lake UCWL. After the coronation ceremony speeches were delivered by Mrs. Mary Warawa; Tony Sawchuk, who presented each girl with a cheque; Nick Myskiw, superintendent of the Two Hills school division; and Alex Gordy, MP for the Vegreville constituency. The master of ceremonies and parish priest, Rev. Father B. M. Hanushsky, concluded the carnival by expressing his thanks to the girls and their parents for the good, hard work. They sold more than 22,000 tickets.

With the assistance of the little girls, 25 tickets for prizes donated by business men, were drawn. Steve Chernesky, president of the church took charge of presenting the prizes.

Lunch prepared by the ladies of the UCWL, was served and dancing continued.

Garden Graph

By DEAN HALLIDAY



Winter Protection of Alpines

Most of the plants which we grow in rock gardens come from high mountain regions.

In these places they are covered with a blanket of snow from late autumn to late March. Under this they are protected all winter with no need of any other winter protection.

However, in our gardens, where there is alternate thawing and freezing of the soil, much damage can be done. The ground frequently is bare in late winter at the time when high winds are strongest and this then is when the danger of harm is the greatest.

As shown in the accompanying Garden - Graph, alpines which are subject to injury from dampness can be protected by a collar or mulch of stone chips built up around the crown to facilitate drainage. This collar bolsters up any fleshy leaves, protecting them from the damp ground.

For added protection give the rock plants a loose winter mulch. Evergreen branches are one of the best materials for mulching, as shown, but they are not always available. If you use straw or hay, scatter a light layer of brush first to prevent matting down. Leaves usually mat down too much, often smothing out the plants beneath them.

Whatever mulching material is used should not be put on until the ground has been frozen sufficiently so that all growth has stopped for the season.

12-Year-Old District Youth Dies Following Rifle Mishap

ELK POINT A 12-year-old-boy, playing a dangerous and grim game with a 22 calibre rifle, Tuesday, November 28, shot himself in the heart and survived 20 minutes before he fell dead.

The half-breed boy, John Albert Daignault, living with his grandmother, Mrs. Eva Daniels, in the Armistice district 5 miles west of Elk Point, was reported to have taken the gun from a corner in the small house, loaded a shell in the breach and for "fun" shot himself in the chest. He walked up and told his grandmother that he had shot himself in the heart, while she was sewing near by.

The bullet went clean through the boy and the wall behind him.

The parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Daignault, reside at Willow River, B.C., and were notified of the accident which occured at 5:30 p.m. Tuesday.

The boy was rushed to Elk Point Hospital, but declared dead on arrival, Dr. K. C. Miller coroner, said no inquest will be held.

The boy was buried in Eash Cemetery on Saturday, afternoon Dec. 2.

Helen Romanchuk Weds In St. Mary's

WILLINGDON — A floor-length gown of Chantilly lace and nylon tulle was worn by Miss Helen Romanchuk for her wedding to Mr. Michael Tymchyshyn in St. Mary's Orthodox Church on Saturday.

Rev. J. Kowalchuk conducted the ceremony before the altar decorated with pink and white gladioli.

After a short honeymoon trip the newly-weds will make their home on the farm west of Whitford.

DAIRY OVER-PRODUCTION BLAME IS TRANSFERRED

OTTAWA — A split on how to solve the Canadian dairy problem of over-production was disclosed among farm organizations at the federal-provincial agriculture conference.

The Dairy Farmers of Canada backed by the Canadian Federation of Agriculture, renewed its support for a program involving a 14-cent-a-pound federal subsidy to the consumer on butter.

In 1962-63 the cream producer would absorb two cents of that subsity by accepting a lower price.

But spokesmen for the National Farmers' Union said small cream shippers will be hard hit by any reduction in producer returns and blamed surplus output by big milk producers for the rapidly-mounting supplies of butter and dried skim milk powder.

Agriculture Minister Hamilton said the dairy situation is getting worse and can't be left unsolved.

"I assure you the prime minister (Mr. Diefenbaker) is pounding my tail to get some solution," he told the conference.

Earlier this year, the cabinet rejected a suggestion that retail butter prices be cut 10 cents a pound to stimulate consumption which has been lagging as margarine use increases. The Dairy Farmers of Canada subsequently suggested that the federal government pay a 14-cent-a-pound subsidy and that progressively the producer would take up some of that burden, starting with two cents a pound next year.

The conference was told Tuesday in federal agriculture forecasts that the butter surplus may be a record 201,000,000 pounds by the end of the year, most of it government possession.

Dried skim milk powder, which the government doesn't buy, is in a big surplus position in the industry and the dairy farmers recommend a 12-cent-a-pound support price while producers of fluid milk and the marketing board get busy in cutting back milk production and lowering returns of surplus milk.

President Rudy Usick of the Manitoba section of the National Farmers' Union said Manitoba has 30,000 cream shippers and many depend greatly on that source of income although they ship no milks. They didn't favor any price decrease.

Lac la Biche Mission

Henry Bourque and his son Isaie have gone by bus to sell their mink fur in Edmonton. They will also visit relatives there.

A few fishermen have gone to Pinehurst Lake.

Alfred Tardif of Bonnyville was in the district recently on a hunting trip. He also visited relatives.

Miss Schaub of Plamondon is working for Mrs. Louis Tardif.

O. Gillis has gone for a month to visit his relatives in Vancouver, B.C.

Rev. Sister St. Gratien is back from the hospital and the school children are happy to see their teacher in good health again.

Rev. Brother Cote celebrated his 25th anniversary. He is with the Oblate Fathers. At a concert organized by the school children in his honor he was presented with a watch from the Oblate Fathers.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Ladouceur are parents of a new baby boy.

The successful farmer, we have observed, does very little farming on the streets of the county-seat.

Church Notices

THE UNITED CHURCH OF CANADA
Lac la Biche Pastoral Charge
Minister: Rev. S. L. Munro,
Lac la Biche

SUNDAY, DEC. 17—
LAC LA BICHE
Family Uorship ..... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
CGIT Vesper Service .... 7:30 p.m.
RICH LAKE-BRIERVILLE
Public Worship ..... 12:15 p.m.
Sunday School ..... 12:15 p.m.
McRAE
Public Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

ANGLICAN CHURCH OF CANADA
The Rev. W. A. Swinton
Services in Advent, Sunday, Dec. 17 and Sunday Dec. 24 as usual.
SPECIAL SERVICE —
A nativity pageant will be presented on Wednesday, Dec. 20 at 8:00 p.m. This pageant will include the singing of carols.
CHRISTMAS SERVICES —
LAC LA BICHE
Dec. 24—
Midnight Eucharist ..... 11:30 p.m.
WANDERING RIVER
Dec. 24—
Eucharist ..... 3:00 p.m.
GRASSLAND
Dec. 25—
Eucharist ..... 8:00 a.m.
RICH LAKE
Dec. 25—
Eucharist ..... 11;00 a.m.

EVANGELICAL FREE CHURCH
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SUNDAY
Sunday School, 10:30 a.m.
Evening Service, 7:30 p.m.
HYLO:
Sunday School and Worship Service, 2:30 p.m.
UKRAINIAN LANGUAGE SERVICES
(Second Sunday Each Month)
Hylo — 11:00 a.m.
Lac la Biche — 3:00 p.m.

Spruce Valley

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Zak and daughter of Edmonton were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Matoga.

Mr. and Mrs. John Matoga are putting the finishing touches on the inside of their new house and will soon be moving into it.

Recent visitors to Athabasca were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Semashkewich, John Pritula, Nick Zilinski, Stanley Kanarek and Walter Szwedo.

Bill Duban of Lac la Biche was a recent visitor to his farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Markowski and baby son of Athabasca were recent visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Wolak.

Lorna Zilinski is staying with her aunt, Mrs. Helen Zilinski, while Karl Zilinski is working at B. Zilinski's camp around Kinuso.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dong made a business trip to Edmonton on Thursday last.

Any community of individuals can get along if it has some unselfish leaders.

Successful living, which few of us acquire, depends upon simple things.

Notice to Creditors and Claimants

IN THE ESTATE OF AUGUSTE DUMAS, late of Lac la Biche, in the Province of Alberta, Carpenter.

TAKE NOTICE that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named must file with the undersigned by the 25th day of January, A.D. 1962, a full statement of their claims and securities held by them.

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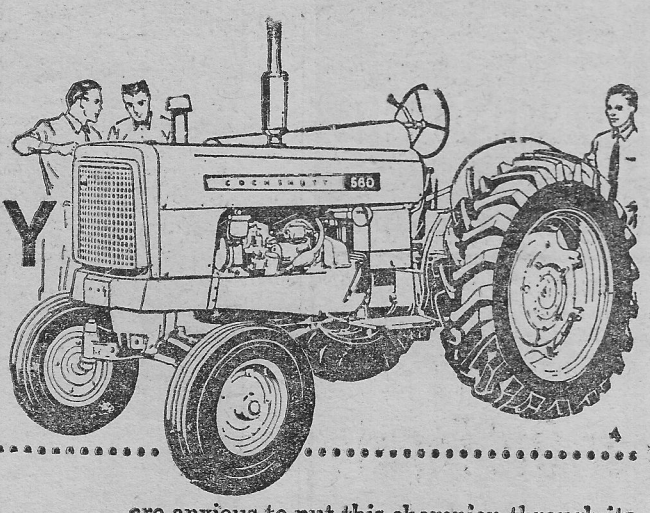

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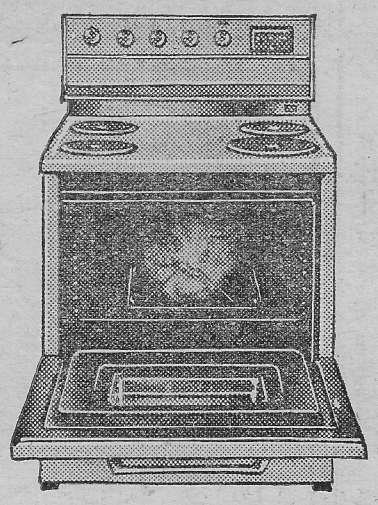

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Funeral Service For Joe Kuzyk, 60

FRAINS — Funeral services were held for Joe Kuzyk, a resident of Frains for 29 years, who passed away recently at the age of 60 years.

Mr. Kuzyk moved to this district from Radway with his wife, who predeceased him 28 years ago, leaving him with two small children, Steve and Mary.

He is survived by one daughter and son-in-law; one son; six grandchildren; two brothers and two sisters.

Prayer services were conducted at his home by Fr. Powluk.

Pallbearers were Willie Kuzyk, Mike Kowalyk, Fred Kuzyk, Nick Kvzyk, Mike Chamzuk and George Kitt.

Interment was in the Ukrainian Greek Catholic Church Cemetery at Frains.

Many floral tributes were received.

John Mamchur, 61, Dies In Edmonton

FRAINS — Funeral services were held for John Mamchur, long-time resident of the Twin Spruce district, who passed away at the University Hospital in Edmonton at the age of 61 years.

His wife pre-deceased him some 11 years ago, leaving four children in his care, Anne, Mike, Nick and Raymond.

Prayer service was conducted by Rev. Zubritsky at the family home and interment was in the Ukrainian Greek Orthodox Cemetery at Twin Spruce.

Frains

Mike Chamzuk returned from Tungsten Mines, Yukon, where he has been employed to attend the fueral of his father-in-law, Mr. Joe Kuzyk.

Nick Antonuik has been taken to hospital at Lac la Biche.

Mrs. Steve Yurochko has been a patient at St. Catherines Hospital in Lac la Biche.

Mike Chopoidalo made a trip to Edmonton for medical attention.

Due to the cold weather there was no bingo at Frains on Dec. 2.

Visiting at the Shyian home were Fred Shyian, Roy Shyian, Mrs. Helen Bilida and children.

Home for the weekend were Ann Nahrobinchuk, Mr. and Mrs. William Smith, Raymond and Nick Momchur, Rosie Kowalyk, Steve Kuzyk and George Waselnchuk.

Archie Shwetz had difficulty rounding up the heifers he had bought at a sale in Edmonton. He spent a few days looking for them.

Visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolach are the latters two brothers from Hollow Lake.

Sympathy of the district is extended to the family of John Mamchur who passed away recently.

Helina

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Pierce motored to Fort Saskatchewan to attend the funeral of his mother, Mrs. Pierce.

Steve Onciul made a recent trip to Edmonton.

O Jutila purchased a 1962 Ford truck.

Lester Whelen, who was employed in Fort St. John, is back in his home here.

Wilmar Elliott is back in the district.

Pete Hillary, Bob and Jim Pierce, Einer Huser and Bud Hoffman motored to Edson where they visited at the Hoffman home and spent a few days hunting. Luck was with them as they came home with two large moose and one deer.

Mrs. Mabel Onciul, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ira Kumpula, motored to Fort Saskatchewan to attend the funeral of their grandmother.

Gerald Wilk of Hamlin visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onciul and Dave Onciul.

HYLO

Mr. and Mrs. A. Lozinski returned from Edmonton after a few weeks' stay at the home of their son Paul

Nick Mahowich was a patient in the Lac la Biche hospital last week.

George Michetti made a trip to St. Albert last Friday.

Alex Moshuk accompanied Fred Michetti to Edmonton on Monday of last week.

M. Tichonuk made a business trip to Edmonton last week.

Julius Keehn accompanied Bruno Meardi to the city recently.

ROUND ROBIN CARD NEWS

HYLO — Round robin card games, started by Fred Michetti, are being played every Saturday evening at the following homes: Fred Michetti, Mr. and Mrs. M. Tichonuk, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Owchar and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lozinski.

The next game is scheduled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lozinski on Saturday, Dec. 16.

Owl River

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McGiven have gone to spend the Christmas holidays with her sister in the State of Washington.

The veterinarian from the Alberta Dept. of Agriculture will visit this community Dec. 22 to vaccinate heifer calves for Bang's disease.

Mrs. Brooks, teacher at Owl River school, plans to spend the Christmas holidays with friends and relatives in the north.

Ramona, Mary and James Gregoire will have a small part in the Christmas concert at Kikino They plan a brother-sister duet.

Fork Cake

Mr. and Mrs. A. Marsh of Lethbridge recently visited her mother Mrs. M. Caron. They also visited Mr. Caron in the General Hospital, Edmonton, where he has been a patient for some time.

Ben Johnson of Edmonton recently visited at the Sunderman and Hagetweit homes.

A number of people attended the Search for Talent show in Lac la Biche on Dec. 9 from this district.

Rich Lake

Alex Salahub, Junior High teacher at Rich Lake school, was the lucky winner of a Chevrolet car at the recent car bingo in Edmonton. Since he has a new car, he sold the prize.

Because of the poor attendance at the Dec. 2 meeting of the United Church women, a second meeting was held Dec. 7 at the home of Florence Mulyk with 11 members and four guests present. Mr. and Mrs. Munro and girls also attended. The main business was a discussion of the new organization and Christmas treats. The next meeting will be held at the church. Left-over sale articles were bought by the members.

Relatives of Mrs. Eileen Andrichuk held a baby shower for her at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Lena Rudiak on Sunday, Dec. 3.

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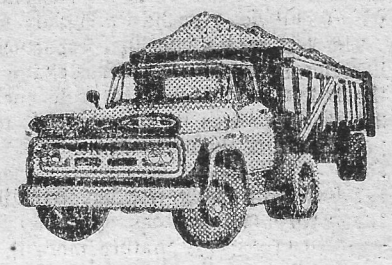

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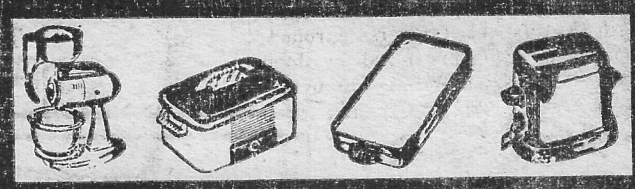

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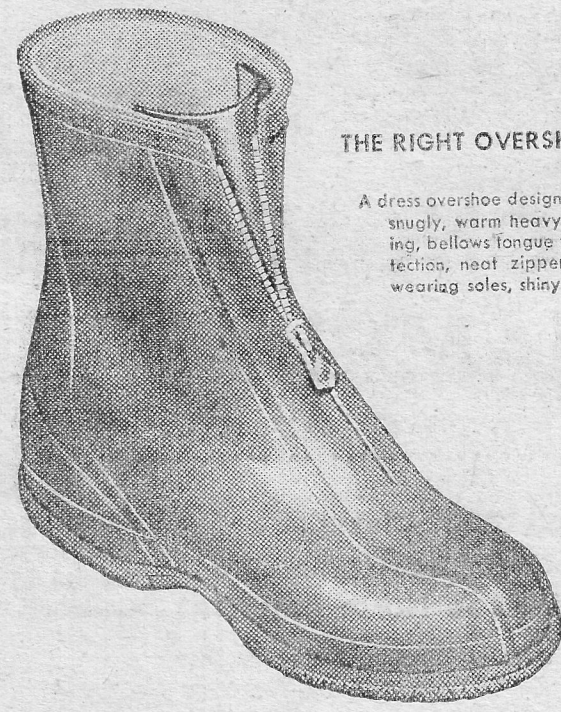

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+ News From Other Alberta Districts +

Underdogs Hit Limelight In Volleyball Tournament

NEWBROOK — Excitement was at its peak on the second night of the Thorhild county volleyball tournament as the Newbrook Senior boys' — Clifford Melnychuk, captain; Laurence Croswell, Ed Horyn, Ken Hrycun, Myron Prysylak, and Frank Radomsky; worked their way up from a losing team to defeating the considered top-notch team. Newbrook's six players played a nip-and-tuck game against Redwater's nine players.

After being tied on several occasions, Newbrook took the required 2-point lead — to the roaring applause of the spectators.

The senior girls, Michaeline Hrycun, captain; Christine Buerger, Frances Burkosky, Mary Cardy, Barbara Ellefson, Jeannette Floria, Marjorie Parsons, Mary Schreyer and Caroline Zorniak, won one and lost one of their games.

The junior boys were not as fortunate and lost both their games.

However, the junior girls, Joanne Radomsky, captain; Sharon Croswell, Betty Gordash, Adeline Hrycun, Carol Korbutiak, Mary Krowchynski, Nancy Radomsky, Gloria Schesnuk, Joyce Toronchuk and Geraldine Zilkie, won both games easily with scores of 15-3 against Radway and 15-6 against Redwater.

These wins brought the Newbrook School standing to second place.

Phosphorus Fertilizer

Phosphorus is by far the most widely used fertilizer. Phosphorus deficiency is almost universal. The total quantity of phosphorus in the soil bears very little relationship to the supply available to plants. The availability is influenced by many factors, not the least of which is the degree of acidity. If the soil is acid the phosphorus ties up in insoluble compounds with aluminum or iron; if basic, it may precipitate into insoluble compounds with calcium.

The usual way of buying phosphorus in Western Canada is in the form of 11-48-0 which contains 11 percent nitrogen and 48 percent phosphate, or 16-20-0 which contans 16 percent nitrogen and 20 percent phosphate. The former is the one recommended for fallow crops and the latter, or a reasonable facsimile, for stubble crops. The reasons for these recommendations are that the fallow operation releases considerable nitrogen and thus, the main requirement is for phosphorus. A stubble crop has a higher nitrogen requirement in proportion to phosphorus. Drilling phosphatic fertilizers in bands is the rule because of the great tendency for soils to tie it up in insoluble forms.

Besides being absolutely essential to the maintenance of productivity phosphorus hastens maturity. Cereal crops may mature more than a week sooner because of the presence of an adequate supply of phosphorus.

Phosphorus is obtained from great beds of rock that were formed by the precipitation of phosphorus with calcium or some other element. In the natural state it is virtually useless as a nutrient; however, when treated and ammoniated (joined with nitrogen) it becomes readily available to plants. The whole field of phosphorus fertilization is based on the brilliant work of Liebig and Lawes, outstanding German and English scientists. The effect of their work is world-wide and there is no doubt that starvation would be a much greater problem without their contribution to the knowledge of phosphorus fertilization.

School Teachers Prepare Papers

THORHILD — Thirty-six Thorhild county school teachers have been preparing examination papers during the past several weeks to be administered in the four county school-centers during the week of Dec. 11 to 15. The teachers are pooling their researches and are standardizing the academic subjects for this county.

M. Senych, principal of the Thorhild School, announced that report cards will be sent out before Christmas, and that a parent-teacher day for the Thorhild school is expected to be held at the beginning of January. Mr. Senych further reported that "Laggard student policy," set by this county two years ago, is in effect again this year.

It is almost time for everybody to look for new calendars.

Utilities Manager Speaks At Banquet

The Vegreville branch of the Canadian Utilities held its annual banquet in the Legion Hall on Dec. 1. Master-of-ceremonies Mr. Makowichuk introduced the distinguished guests at the head table and then the assembled crowd of employees with their partners.

Following the dinner, Mr. Ford, the general manager from the head office in Edmonton, addressed the group with a short speech and wished them all a Merry Christmas. Then Mr. O'Brian, also of Edmonton, was asked to say a few words.

The master-of-ceremonies then called upon the Legion ladies who served the meal and thanked them.

Mr. Clark of Vermilion entertained the crowd with some lighthearted humor, followed by the singing of "Danny Boy".

During the latter part of the evening the group danced to the Rumba Kings orchestra.

Welding School Held At Andrew

A successful three-day welding school was held at Andrew recently with 36 district farmers enrolled. The school was organized by John Karcha of Holden and the instructors were Jack Dobson and Rae Epp, who are members of the instructional staff of Smith-Roles Limited.

The school was held at George Lastiwko's garage which, for these three days, was the busiest place in town with farmers welding, observing, asking questions and watching demonstrations.

Mayor Allan Pewarchuk and MLA N. A. Melnyk addressed the welding school class.

Noral

C. E. Henson, George Skoreyko, Mike Kniazky, George Gardey and Ed Rammuson went big game hunting to Fox Creek recently and had a successful hunt. Each man came back with a moose.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Henson and son Bob took a trip to Waskatenau to attend the wedding of a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Duchnych and K. Dubrowny attended a funeral for Mr. Mamchur in Twin Spruce.

Elmer Johnson is a patient in the Lac la Biche Hospital

E. Anderson, employed by the B & B gang of the Northern Alberta Railway, is now working in Lac la Biche.

Twin calves were born on the farm of Alvin Anderson of Noral.

Author To Marry

LONDON — Nicholas Monsarrat, 51, author of The Cruel Sea, will marry Ann Griffiths, 24, of London, the Daily Express reports. Monsarrat is now living on an island in the Saint Lawrence River between the United States and Canada.

Win Braithwaite, Dewberry Council Member, Killed In Truck Crash

DEWBERRY — A funeral service was held for Thomas Winslow (Win) Braithwaite, 45, on Nov. 15 at Dewberry Hall.

Mr. Braithwaite had died on the 11th, on the ambulance which took him to Lloyminster hospital following a one-vehicle crash, four miles east of Dewberry on Highway 45, in which the late model ½-ton truck of which he was sole occupant was completely demolished.

He is survived by his wife, Ivy; children, John, 15, Roy, 8; Anne Marie, 6, and Veronica, 21 months; by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Matt Braithwaite, now of Vancouver; by his brothers Joe and Donnie of Dewberry, Fred of Lloydminster, Ralph and Milton of Vancouver.

After gaining his first retail experience during his teens with the late Jack Machon, Win entered war service in the Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps in 1942 and was overseas from 1943-46.

After honorable discharge, he returned to the farm home, where he remained until 1949.

Then he went to work in the Dewberry Co-op. In 1954 he left the Co-op to become manager of Graham Gardiner's store in Hazeldine, where he remained for four years.

In February 1958, he returned to Dewberry to operate his own hardware and grocery store.

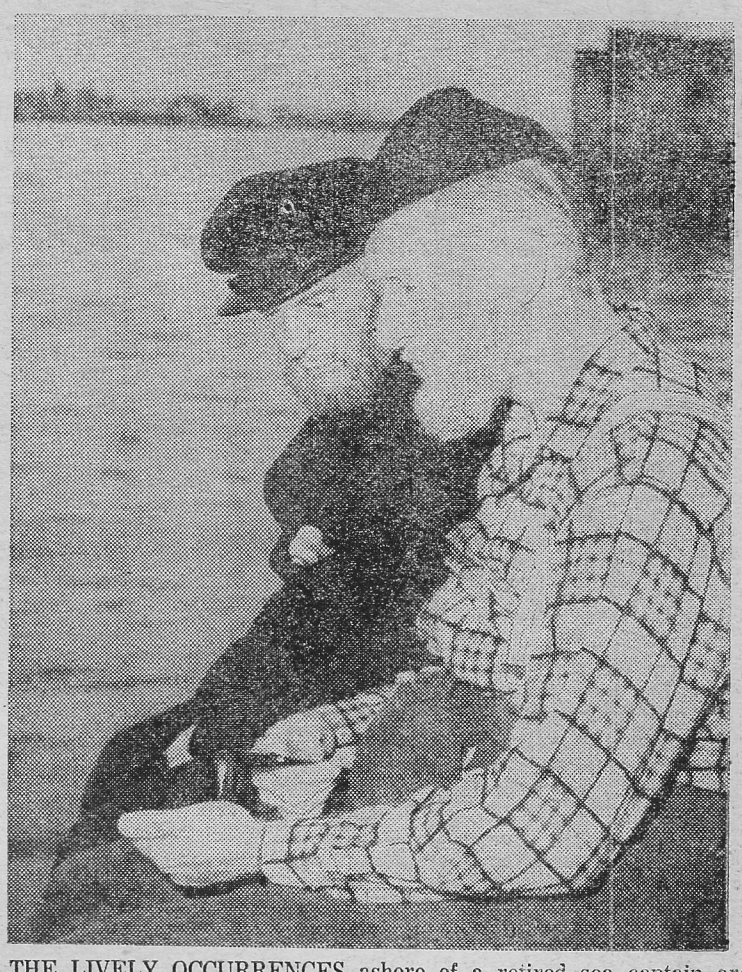
He was a member of the village of Dewberry Council, a representative to Senior Citizens' Lodges, and a member of the Canadian Legion.

Home from Vancouver to attend their son's funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Matt Braithwaite, with Milton and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Braithwaite.

The service was led by the Rev. Miller of Vermilion. Sacred music was provided by the Dewberry choir and organist was Mrs. Herb Websdale.

Pallbearers were close friends of the deceased, Tom West, Tom Jarret, Bill Dennil, Tom Applegate, Robert Brett and Floyd Oxton. Interment took place at Dewberry cemetery. The Canadian Legion was in charge.

The family has the deep sympathy of the entire neighborhood, who share with them the shock of their loss.



THE LIVELY OCCURRENCES ashore of a retired sea captain are told weekly on the CBC radio series, Halifax Theatre. The program is heard Monday afternoons on the Trans-Canada network. The village yarner, Jimmy Come Easy, right, reminisces with Captain Andy on some of the light-hearted problems that befall him in retirement. Jimmy Come Easy is played by David Murray and Cap'n Andy by Bill Fulton.

Jean Jack Is Bride Of Donald Militz

HAMILTON-FOREST HILLS — St. Paul's Anglican Church, Edmonton, was the scene of an evening ceremony recently when Miss Jean Jack, eldest daughter of Mrs. Donald Jack of Lethbridge, became the bride of Mr. Donald Militz, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Militz of Mannville.

Rev. A. W. Wilcox officiated at the wedding.

The happy couple will reside in Edmonton.

ABUNDANT LIFE

by ORAL ROBERTS

SET A GOAL FOR YOUR LIFE

Some time ago, a friend and I were talking about the importance of setting goals in life. Every life must have a destination. My friend gave this example.

Three men were working in a stone quarry, all doing the same work.

A gentleman came by one day and asked the first man, "What are you doing?"

"I'm earning $10 a day working in this stone quarry," he said.

He walked a little farther and asked the second man, "What are you doing, Sir?"

"I'm a stone cutter," the second man answered. "I'm cutting stone."

"And what, my good man, are you doing?" the gentleman asked the third man.

The man stood straight and squared his shoulders. With a voice full of pride he said, "I'm helping to build a cathedral."

All the men were doing the same work, but each had a different attitude. One was thinking only of money and one was thinking of his trade. The third man, however, was thinking of the beauty that would come from his efforts. He was working toward a goal.

The kind of work a person does is not important. The attitude in which the work is done matters tremendously. Work is not drudgery or toil to the person who loves his work.

How are you using your life? Are you just existing from day to day, or are you working toward a goal? One of the greatest blessings in life is to have an aim. To zigzag through life is a tragedy. Life is too valuable to waste. It needs a direction.

When a person accepts Christ as his Saviour, he no longer exists from day to day. Instead, life has a meaning and he begins to LIVE. To the person who knows and loves God, life is not a drudgery. It is an inspiration and a joy. There is a purpose for living. There is a goal to strive for. Life has a direction.

The individual who puts his heart into God's work gains real profit. Your work may not be outstanding, but Christ remembers each thing you do for Him.

You have opportunities to serve God every day. Christ knows and understands your capabilities and limitations. He will not give you a bigger job than you can handle. Each deed of love you do, no matter how small it may seem, will open a door to great blessing and happiness.

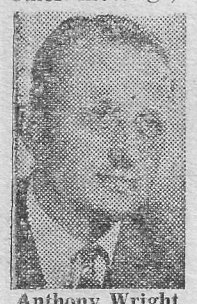
Find the true joy of living. Accept Christ as your personal Saviour and give your life direction and a goal. You can have abundant life in Jesus Christ.

REPORT FROM OTTAWA

By Anthony J. Wright

FULTON: THE BUSY MAN

The busiest man of the cabinet just now, with the exception of Prime Minister Diefenbaker who keeps dropping into Ottawa for cabinet and other meetings, is probably Justice Minister Davie Fulton. He's got at least three pots boiling. The first, and it's boiling over, is his campaign, acid and almost violent, to salvage the Columbia Power treaty signed last January with Washington, but not ratified yet by Parliament in Ottawa.



Anthony Wright

From the start the Columbia affair has been hectic and delicate. It involved difficult negotiations with the United States about the sharing of "downstream" power benefits made possible on the United States reaches of the river by dams built on the Canadian side.

In the end Canada, with Mr. Fulton heading the team, seemed to have come out with a good deal. The power generated downstream would be shared equally by Canada and the United States and Canada's half would be sent back to be used, at a cheap price, by the good people (also voters) of British Columbia. But there were one or two little last-minute errors, you might say. One error was not to have British Columbia's prime minister at the Washington signing. After all, his province will generate the power; it nourishes the river and it will buy and use the electricity.

At the last minute, too, Mr. Diefenbaker went down for the signing because President Eisenhower was to sign for the neighbors. Mr. Bennett of B.C. may have taken umbrage at not being there. Whether he took umbrage or not, we don't know, but we do know that he later took over the B.C. Electric Company and also the company set up to survey the power possibilities of the Peace River basin.

This gives Mr. Bennett the chance to thumb his nose at Ottawa, a capital and government he has never bowed to. Why should he? British Columbians continue to back him at the polls and to a politician this is meat and drink. Being popular in Ottawa is a luxury a provincial leader can well do without.

Mr. Bennett is now toying with the development of massive power works in the far north of his province, on the Peace River. To sell all of it he'll need permission from Ottawa to export power by long-term contract to the United States.

He insists now that he does not want power back from the U.S. as his share of payment for downstream Columbia benefits. He prefers cash. In other words he wants the Americans to sign a deal to buy that "extra" Columbia - generated power at a good price for 20 or more years. Ottawa says no province should do this. Cheap power should come to Canadians. Hence the stalemate.

Mr. Bennett can prevent ratification of the Columbia treaty (and every week our neigbohors grow more impatient at the delay) but Ottawa can spoil Mr. B's plans by forbidding export of power on a long-term basis.

Mr. Fulton seeks now to break the log jam by attacking Mr. Bennett for blocking progress in his province and robbing B.C. of cheap power. Mr. Fulton has also bitterly attacked U.S. Interior Secretary Udall for appearing to "meddle" in Canadian affairs.

I bring this up partly to say that reports of a serious split between Messrs Fulton and Diefenbaker on the issue are being hotly denied here by Mr. Fulton's staff and by others who should know the facts. The "split" report was carried in a column written for the Toronto Telegram, an ardent Diefenpaper.

Mr. Fulton may discover however that well as he knows B.C. voters, Mr. Bennett may know them better. Could be when they mark their national ballots in June, or whenever it is, they will take Bennett's side and vote against the Conservatives. After all Bennett took over the B.C. Electric and pleased a lot of hydro-users, I would imagine.

Mr. Fulton has two other pots coming to the boil. A new deal whereby, at long last, Ottawa and the provinces are to be enabled to amend the constitution without referring to London. And, secondly, a simmering prison problem When a guard is stabbed to death in a federal prison, the minister of justice gets much grief.

DARK-HAIRED, good looking and talented — but still going to school! She's Phyllis Clapperton, star pupil of Speaking French, the weekly CBC-TV show designed to teach French the painless way. Professor Jean-Paul Vinay is her television teacher.

Bayview

Mr. and Mrs. S. Kamelchuk of Devon and Mr. and Mrs. K. Normington of Calgary were visitors in this district.

After spending six weeks with her daughter and son-in-law in Whitehorse, Mrs. Albin Stupak came back by aeroplane to Edmonton and by bus here.

The wedding of Miss Clare Plamondon is to take place Dec. 27.

GREEN ACRES

By Fred Strashok, District Agriculturist

Some time ago the ratepayers of LID No. 102 were sent application cards for Bang's Vaccination of heifer calves on a voluntary basis. These filled out cards were to be returned to the District Agriculturist's office at Lac la Biche before the 24th of November.

Arrangements have been made that the veterinarian is to carry out the vaccination starting December 15th and continuing through until December 22nd. In those seven days the veterinarian has to vaccinate 722 calves.

Cards, notifying the applicants when the venterinarian will call, were mailed out from this office. In order to facilitate the vaccination of all the calves listed it is suggested that each individual farmer separate the calves to be vaccinated from other cattle and pen them in a chute or corral. A "chute" through which the calves may be passed through is the best. A loose gate with which you can squeeze the calves is another good method of handling. Many cattle owners co-operated wholeheartedly in 1960 however, there were others that were not prepared at all. See that you do a good job this year.

By areas the veterinarian will call at the following districts on dates as below: Goodridge, Helina, Rich Lake, Goose Lake and Normandeau on December 15th; Craigend, Grandin, Briereville, Rich Lake and Christie Creek on December 16; Venice, Hylo, Noral, Caslan on December 18th; Egg Lake and South of Plamondon on December 19th; Lac la Biche Mission, Gourin and along Highway 46 on December 20th; Wandering River, Breynat, Amesbury and north of Plamondon on December 21st; Big Bay, Barnegat, Owl River and the hamlet of Plamondon on December 22nd.

If the calves for vaccination are separated and properly restrained I have no doubt that the schedule will be followed. Remember that the days are short and we will have a lot to do. Help us by co-operating.

Normandeau

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Charest have purchased Ulric Hebert's former house and have moved it to their farm. They are now occupying it.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Turgeon made a business trip to Edmonton over the weekend.

A number of women have been received as Ladies of St. Anne in the Roman Catholic church. Rev. Fr. Picotte officiated.

Arlene and Theresa Bernard of Grouard are now staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Turgeon.

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